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Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, enclosed please find:

1. Response to Office Action mailed January 28, 2002; and
2. return postcard. Please date stamp and mail the return postcard.

No fees are believed to be due with the filing of this Reponse. However, if fees are deemed necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge said fees to Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld, L.L.P., Deposit Account No. 01-0660.

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JANUARY 28, 2002**

The present paper is submitted as a complete response to the Official Action mailed January 28, 2002 having a shortened statutory period of response of one month, to February 28, 2002. The present paper is timely filed since this paper is being filed prior to or on the one-month date, however, should an extension of time be required, this paper is such a request. Should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for the filing of the present document, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld Deposit Account No. 01-0660.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated below.

**AMENDMENT**

**In the Claims**

Claims 2, 3, 5-90, and 92-94 are canceled. Claims 1, 4, and 91 are amended as shown below and as indicated in the marked-up version included with this response as Attachment A.

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